

## ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A mass transit vehicle window installation assembly for simplifying and accelerating the installation of window assemblies in vehicle window apertures.

- 5 The assembly comprises a retainer that connects between a window assembly frame and a vehicle wall panel having a window aperture shaped to receive the window assembly where the window assembly frame has a planform shape that generally complements that of the window aperture. The retainer spaces such a window assembly frame from an inner peripheral surface of a complementary window aperture. The retainer is supported on either a window frame or a complementary window aperture in a position to center the window assembly as the window assembly is inserted into the aperture. This allows an operator to insert a window assembly into a window aperture after one or more of the window assembly retainers have been installed on one of the window frame and window aperture.
- 10 15 The retainers cause the window assembly to automatically center itself in a receiving window aperture as an installer inserts the window assembly into the window aperture.

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